



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Elan Yogeswaren

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the FINAL office action in the instant case, mailed by the USPTO on October 14, 2005 (the "Office Action"), Applicant respectfully submits the following Amendments and Remarks. This response is filed on or before February 14, 2006, and is therefore timely filed with a petition for a one-month extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.